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MEMORANDUM FOR: Project Director of Administration

SUBJECT : Deployment of System IV

REFERENCES : 4468 (IN 33390)
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1. Nothing in the decisions of the last ten days would cause me to change our plan to deploy System IV only to one Detachment at a time. I am still unaware of any major requirements for the use of System IV in the Far East. More important is the fact that we will not for many months have the equipment to support a System IV capability simultaneously in two places. Accordingly, we will maintain this capability for the present at Detachment B and move the equipment and personnel to Detachment C at a later date if a requirement materializes in the Far East.

2. Under these circumstances, I should think we would concur with the recommendation in Reference A that a third System IV technician be sent to Detachment B.

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RICHARD M. BISSELL, JR.
Project Director

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Project Director

SUBJECT : Deployment of System Four Equipment Overseas

REFERENCE : [REDACTED] 4468 (IN 33390) dtd 22 Jan 1958

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1. The referenced cable which, in Paragraph 2, recommends the dispatch overseas of one of the two System Four personnel previously scheduled for Detachment C prompts me to inquire if developments of the past ten days have changed your thinking about the disposition of System Four equipment overseas for the coming operational season.

2. You will recall that your decision was to deploy System Four only to Detachment B and as a result, R-W personnel who would have gone to Detachment C were sent to Edwards instead.

3. With your stated intention of scheduling one or more probing missions from Detachment C over the Asiatic mainland, I should like to know if this plan conceivably includes System Four equipment as a part of [REDACTED] for such flights.

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4. If so, we will answer the referenced cable somewhat differently than if your plans remain the same.

JAMES A. CUNNINGHAM, JR.
Director of Administration
PS/DCI

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